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R 282041Z AUG 78
FM AMEMBASSY PORT AU PRINCE
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9429
INFO COMNAVBASE GUANTANAMO BAY CUBA
SECDEF WASHDC
CINCLANTFLT NORFOLK VA
COMNAVFOR CARIB ROOSEVELT ROADS PR
CNO WASHDC

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SREF, HA
SUBJECT: REPATRIATION OF HAITIAN REFUGEES FROM GUANTANAMO

REF: A) COMNAVBASE GUANTANAMO BAY CUBA 182144Z AUG 78,
B) PORT AU PRINCE 3462, C) STATE 212716

1. EIGHT HAITIAN NATIONALS NAMED PARA 3 REF A RETURNED TO
PORT AU PRINCE APPROXIMATELY 1000 LOCAL AUGUST 28 ON
GUANTANAMO STATION AIRCRAFT. BEFORE BEING TURNED OVER TO
HAITIAN OFFICIALS, THEY WERE INTERVIEWED BY EMBASSY
OFFICERS, WHO ADVISED THEM TO CONTACT EMBASSY IF THEY EN-
COUNTERED DIFFICULTIES WITH HAITIAN AUTHORITIES REGARDING
THEIR ILLEGAL DEPARTURE.

2. REPATRIATES AND THEIR BELONGINGS WERE THEN ESCORTED
OFF BY AIRPORT IMMIGRATION DIRECTOR, WHO TOLD EMBASSY
POLITICAL OFFICER THAT REPATRIATES WOULD BE PROCESSED BY
IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AND RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES IN
PORT AU PRINCE AREA BY HAITIAN RED CROSS WITHOUT RPT
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WITHOUT INTERROGATION AT CASERNES DESSALINES. RED CROSS
TRUCK WAS OBSERVED TO PULL UP TO AREA WHERE REPATRIATES
WERE BEING PROCESSED SHORTLY THEREAFTER.

3. EMBASSY GREATLY APPRECIATES PROMPT AND EXPEDITIOUS
ASSISTANCE OF COMNAVBASE GUANTANAMO BAY AND REQUESTS
48-HOUR ADVANCE NOTIFICATION PRIOR TO RETURN OF INJURED

CAPTAIN/NAVIGATOR ORIOL HILAIRE.
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